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Karas Proposes Short-Term Rental Ban in Pebble Beach and Carmel Areas

By Elizabeth Cowley

Supervisor Sam Karas has introduced an ordinance to ban short-term rentals at Del Monte Forest, Carmel Point and Yankee Point. Karas said the short-term rental ban is supported by 116 residents of Carmel Point and Yankee Point, the Pebble Beach Company and the Del Monte Forest Property Owners Association (DMFPO). Some absentee owners and property management agencies oppose the ban. Jan Leasure, owner of Monterey Bay Property Management and President of the Monterey Bay Chapter of the National Association of Residential Property Managers, said "It is a property rights issue, I don't agree with owners being told what they can and can't do with their property - a short-term rental is a residential use."

Ken Long, DMFPO President, said that deed restrictions in Del Monte Forest prohibit short-term rentals, defined as under 30 days, but that it has been happening anyway generating complaints from residents about trash, parking and neighborhood disturbances. Leasure said that reports of disturbances are exaggerated and

believes the real issue is that "residents are intimidated by not knowing who their neighbors are." Leasure said this is a valid issue but the opportunity to get to know your neighbors is not much greater if they rent for 40 or 60 days. "You can't legislate a neighborhood not having

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Great Bowls of Fire - The Carmel Valley Chamber of Commerce Chili Cook-Off

Tom Gray (left) and Carltom Lepine serve up the Rancho San Carlos "Measure M Chili" at the Chili Cook-Off held on September 23 at the Holman Ranch. The Rancho San Carlos "Measure M Chili" won First Place in the Best Amateur category. Photo - Elizabeth Cowley

Jeff Davi's Vision For Monterey County

A Three Point Plan - Part One of Two

The following is an outline of the first three goals I have for Monterey County. I plan to present them to the Board of Supervisors for action during my first year in office. The goals are a part of what I consider to be my "Vision for Monterey County".

For years Monterey County has continued to operate annually without any consistent visions for the future. My first three goals represent the beginning of what I foresee as a "Vision for Monterey County". This is a Vision that should be expanded and refined by the entire Board of Supervisors in early 1997.

FORT ORD - "RATIONAL REUSE OF FORT ORD":

Bring to the Fort Ord Reuse Authority a motion to reduce the present Fort Ord Reuse Plan so that the final build-out does not involve any increase in population to the base beyond what was present on the base during the installation's high point. This would call for no more than approximately 35,000 people, which is a dramatic reduction from the proposed 72,000 in the plan. The reasons for this reduction in the plan are two fold:

1. Fort Ord is a base with tremendous infrastructure inadequacies. The elected officials cannot permit the approval of the plan as it stands today given the lack of infrastructure such as water and transportation.

2. There is a desire county wide to protect and preserve our community so that we are not overrun with rampant development. The Monterey Peninsula has taken special care in reviewing all aspects of growth in our surrounding community, and we should not ignore the need to protect and preserve our quality of life with Fort Ord reuse. Protection and preservation of our natural environment is a critical component of our communities' vision for Monterey and we should be sure to maintain that vision at Fort Ord; if we do not, we run the risk of allowing a city twice the size of Monterey to sprout out of the closed military base known as Fort Ord. I will work to bring a vote before FORA in order to reduce the Fort Ord Reuse Plan so that the population simply replaces what was lost with the exodus of our military.

COUNTY BUDGET REVIEW - "STOP LAWSUITS OUT OF CONTROL":

Conduct an outside audit of the budgets for the entire county of Monterey. This outside audit would be conducted by the "Rose Institute", the same institution that was brought into Orange County after their financial difficulties. I will bring before the Board a motion that will request the county of Monterey contract with the Rose Institute to complete the audit for fiscal year 1997-98 (my first year in office).

This audit would be utilized as a resource to the Board of Supervisors. The audit will provide an objective review of the county's spending and determine ways to cut excessive spending and ways to consolidate functions in order to save taxpayers dollars. This audit will also provide information about areas of efficiency which could be enhanced.

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SHERIFF'S Log

9-7-96 Second watch. Deputies Stevens, Clark, Hughes, Cassara.

* Officer Ramos of Carmel PD called to report that James Summers turned in a black portfolio he found on the ground at Cabrillo near Serra Ave. on 9-7 about 10:30 a.m.
* Maurice Harvey called to report finding 2 small paintings lying on the ground at the intersection of Country Club Dr. and Country Club Way, Carmel Valley on 9-7 at about 2:30 p.m.

9-8-96

* From Country Club, Carmel Valley, Marsegura reported that his ex-wife Helmundollar continually violates their court order pertaining to child custody.
* On 9-7-96 Paquet, Smith and Koch were hiking at Terrace Creek, Big Sur. Paquet and Smith fell about 150 feet to the bottom of the Terrace Creek waterfall, suffering multiple traumatic injuries. They were rescued by the Sheriff's Search and Rescue Team with the help of a rescue helicopter from Vandenburg Air Force Base. They were flown to SVMH and are currently in the ICU.
* Pam Klaumann, Mesa Pl., Carmel, reported one rear truck window shattered and two other vehicles struck with paint balls while parked at the residence between 3 and 10 p.m. on 9-7. Suspects are unknown.
* Ann Dice, Hatton Rd., Carmel, reported receiving 12-15 hang up telephone calls over the past ten days. Dice believes an ex-friend is responsible for the calls.

9-9-96 First watch. Deputies Banuelos, Duenas, Pellerin, Rodriguez.

* On Oak Ct., Carmel, a Pacific Bell operator relayed a call from an elderly woman, who was confused, to 911. A welfare check was made and the live-in nurse was contacted. She said this was a common occurance. The elderly female, Lucille Wiener, was fine.

9-9-96 Second watch. Deputies Calzada, English, Clark, Hughes, Oliver.

* Pat Bebe, Assistant Principal at Carmel High reported a juvenile male student in possession of a rifle in his vehicle on the school campus. The weapon was confiscated

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Carmel Valley Chamber of Commerce Great Bowls of Fire Chili Cook-Off

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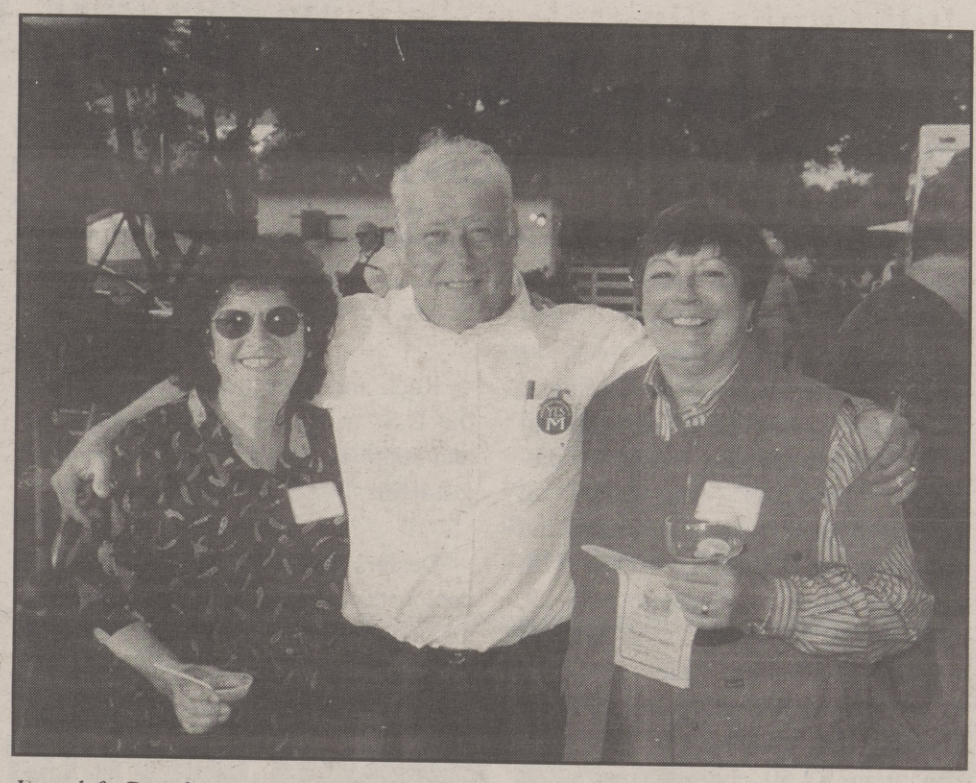
- First Place: Pacific Coast Catering, "A.B.'s Cowgirl Chili"
- Second Place: Thunderbird Bookshop, "Thunderbird Chicken Chili"
- Third Place: Los Laureles Lodge, "Brazilian Chili

Best Amateur
- First Place: Rancho San Carlos, "Measure M Chili"
- Second Place: Natural World, "Non-Toxic Chili"
- Third Place: C. V. Community Youth Center, "Code Red Chili"

Best Decorated Booth
- First Place: Pacific Coast Catering, "A.B.'s Cowgirl Chili"
- Second Place: Thunderbird Bookshop, "Thunderbird Chicken Chili"
- Third Place: The Holman Ranch, "Frijoles Charros"

People's Choice
- First Place: Los Laureles Lodge, "Brazilian Chili"
- Second Place: Pacific Coast Catering, "A.B.'s Cowgirl Chili"
- Third Place: Deli treasures, "Bill's Barbecue Chili"



From left: Dorothy McEwen, CVCC Board Member and owner of the Holman Ranch, Daniel Barduzzi, Celebrity Chili Judge and General Manager of the Stonepine Estate Resort, and Pamela Norton, CVCC President. *Photo - Elizabeth Cowley*

Jeff Davi (on left) takes a break from chili tasting to rally the voters. Photo - Kay Kirkland

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Rock Hounds

Carmel Valley Gem and Mineral Society Hold 37th Annual Gem Show

The Carmel Valley Gem & Mineral Society is a non-profit educational organization bringing together die-hard "rockhounds" who share an interest in gems, minerals, fossils, and related earth sciences. Our 37th Annual Gem Show September 28-29, 1996 at the Monterey Fairgrounds is open to the public. Hours are 10 a.m.-6 p.m. on Saturday and 10 a.m.-5 p.m. on Sunday. Admission donation is $2.50, children free.

Local members and guest exhibitors will display personal collections of gems, minerals, and fossils in their natural state or made into facetted stones, spheres, and jewelry.

Rock and gem dealers from across the U.S. will sell lapidary equipment and supplies, speci-mens, jewelry and gift items.

Dealers and Society members will demonstrate gem polishing, sphere making, fossil cleaning, jewelry making, and other lapidary arts. Guests can also look forward to hourly door prizes, a snack bar and special activities for kids.

The 37th Annual Gem Show of the Carmel Valley Gem & Mineral Society promises fun for the whole family.

The expanded emphasis on children's activities at this year's Show underscores the educational mission of the Society and efforts to help educate our community's children.

Money raised through the Show and other activities throughout the year maintains a scholarship fund that has been used in years past to support local college-bound students majoring in the earth sciences and, in recent years, to support science education in our area elementary schools. For more information about scholar-ship efforts, call the Society's Vice President and Scholarship Chair, David Dimitriou, 655-4532.

In addition to scholarship efforts, CVGMS members are available to talk about local minerals and fossils to schools and other educational groups. Jim Brace-Thompson and Andrei Pashin talked rocks with first, third and fourth grade students at Foothills and Monte Vista Elementary schools in Monterey, Tularcitos School in Carmel Valley, J. C. Crumpton in Marina, and Castroville Elementary. Society members have donated mineral specimens for a class project at the River School of Carmel and helped Carmel Valley Cub Scouts earn their geology pin.

Jim Brace-Thompson and Jay House have also led fossil collecting field trips for the Lyceum program of Monterey County, and the Society makes regular donations toward the purchase of equipment and supplies for lapidary courses at the Monterey Peninsula College. Our Gem Show is our chief means of sustaining our Society, which enables us to continue these and other activities. In addition to our own scholarship programs, we contribute to the scholarship funds of both the California and American Federations of Mineralogical Societies.

To learn more, call Society President Brace-Thompson, 384-4738, or write the Carmel Valley Gem & Mineral Society, P. O. Box 5847, Carmel, Ca. 93921.

Society Vice President and "Rock Hound" David Dimitriou and his son, "pebble pup" Thomas, create a cabachon at a club workshop.

Franny Thompson puts a finishing polish on a cabochon.

Curt's Keeping the Valley Running

Quietly Curt Weise has built a substantial business in the Village repairing all sorts of small equipment - tillers, lawn mowers, blowers, chain saws, trimmers, and more.

Advertising only in The Sun and placing customer service at the top of the list; in just three years, Curt has expanded from a home-based business to a full retail showroom and repair shop in the Village Drive Center at #4 Village Drive, west of the Veterinary Hospital, one block south of Carmel Valley Road, and behind Village Floors.

Curt brings to his business 15 years as a VW mechanic, and years of experience as a Briggs and Stratton repairman. He modestly admits that he is a licensed aircraft mechanic. "But, I don't do many planes anymore," says Curt, standing in his spotless workshop.

Three years ago Curt sat with his wife Katherine and mother Corinne Peterson and they decided to "open my own business." An 11 year resident of the Village, Curt and his family felt there was a need for Curt's services.

Most recently, Curt has become the local dealer for the high quality Shindaiwa line of professional small equipment.

His new Shindaiwa showroom features new blowers, brush cutters, line trimmers and chain saws, along with parts and accessories for all small machines; including blades, trim lines, gas cans, spark plugs, etc.

A veteran of 6 years service in the 143rd Artillery National Guard in Oregon, where he was a radio repairman, Curt says, "I just did not want to work for someone else for the rest of my life." Curt continued, "I like doing business with people from the Valley ... I am proud to offer them my services and the new products."

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and the juvenile cited.

* From Rio Road, Carmel, Richard Holt reported he and his wife receiving obscene calls off and on since the end of last year. They have caller ID and received an obscene phone call this morning providing a number. The number returns to a pay phone in Monterey.

* Harrison wanted a report on file to document the loss of his cellular telephone (gray plastic Motorola flip phone with thick battery pack in black leather case) at the Laguna Seca Raceway on 9-8-96 at 4 p.m.

* Alex Filatieve of Sycamore Pl., Carmel, reported the rear of his residence had been struck by two paint balls during the last week. A 13 year old male was contacted to the rear of Filatiev's residence. The male had been shooting at wooden target in his back yard. The juvenile agreed to use more caution when aiming his paint gun.

* Verlenden on Laurel Dr., Carmel Valley, reports his shed entered within the past 6 weeks and a snapper lawn mower taken.

* MacKenzie of Robley Rd., Salinas, reported the theft of his wallet and watch from the Chamisal Tennis Club.

* 15th near Carmelo, Carmel, anonymous subject reported hearing four gun shots in the area. Nothing was found but it is believed juveniles were lighting off firecrackers.

9-9-96 First watch. Deputies Pellerin, Rodriguez, Duenas.

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Water Board News

At its September 16, 1996 meeting, the Monterey Peninsula Water Management District Board approved a $190,000 toilet retrofit-rebate program to reimburse home and apartment owners who voluntarily replace existing toilets with ultra-low flow (1.6 gallon per flush) models. The program is expected to conserve approximately 30-50 acre-feet (9-16 million gallons) of water each year. Rebates of up to $100 per toilet replaced (a maximum of 2 toilets per household) are available for the first 1000 single family or apartment units participating in the program. Participants must be those who are not already required to retrofit in compliance with existing District regulations. Retrofit credits will not be given in addition to the rebate.

The District is working with property owners' groups, Realtors, plumbers, and wholesalers to maximize program effectiveness and reduce costs. The Water District and Waste Management District are also coordinating efforts to recycle old toilets into aggregate for road construction.

Expansion of Wastewater Reclamation Project: The Board directed staff to retain bond counsel and financial advisors to prepare a plan to finance storage of an additional 400 acre-feet of wastewater at the Forest Lake site in Del Monte Forest (Pebble Beach area). The additional storage would improve the performance of the CAWD/PBCSD wastewater reclamation plant, especially in meeting peak water demand in summer. Expansion of the project, estimated to cost $8-9 million, would be financed through the sale of bonds issued by the District. Bond proceeds would also pay for the financial team.

Implementation Plan for Mitigation Program: The Board accepted a five-year Implementation Plan, which functions as a blueprint for Carmel River activities from July 1996 through June 2001. Proposed activities include streambank protection, fish rescues, habitat restoration, re-vegetation, and water quality and quantity monitoring. The Mitigation Program is designed to help address environmental problems which result from use of water by the community from the river basin.

Other Items: The Board approved construction contracts for repair of certain sections of the Carmel River damaged by floods in 1995; adopted water production amounts within the Cal-Am service area for October through December; approved renting test pumps for studies in the Seaside basin; and scheduled a follow-up strategic planning workshop on October 28, 1996. The public hearing on the POWR Initiative was postponed until October 21 as the County Registrar of Voters has not determined whether sufficient signatures have been validated.

ED/Op

AS THE RIVER RUNS

by Norman Spaulding

Every state and most counties and cities in America can boast a compendium of largely "common sense", as Andrew Bender would say, laws governing what we can and cannot do with our cars on public roadways and even on private property.

It is against the law to park your vehicle in any traffic lane of a street or highway.

Lanes and direction of traffic flow are defined. We employ radar, cameras and 100,000s of sworn police officers to enforce our books of laws meant to save human lives and maintain an orderly flow of traffic. We do not allow people to reside on airport runways, highways or in major waterway channels.

We would not dream of allowing people to build houses and reside on missile firing ranges.

Yet, we persist in allowing people to build homes in fire prone grasslands and forests, along known earthquake strike zones, and in known flood and hurricane zones.

Do not get confused. We should not prohibit people from building homes or industry in dangerous locations. But, we should not be responsible for saving their bacon every time mother nature does the known and expected.

If you build a home in a flood plain or forest, you should be prepared to shoulder the costs associated with the huge risks you are taking. Homes in flood plains should be built on stilts or foundations tall enough to protect the inhabitants in the event of flood, and only the improvements are at risk.

It is short-sighted, greedy and self-centered to think that the rest of us should pay for foolhardy high-risk behavior.

When someone occupies a home in the forest or grassland, it should be the responsibility of the property owner to maintain a fire safe, cleared perimeter around their structure; and adequate water storage and sprinklers to protect the structure against fire.

The effort by residents of the Carmel River flood plain to push the risk-management expense for flood services, land maintenance, and other public services associated with the protection of their private assets is neither fair nor reasonable.

Anything that the general population does to assist those who choose to live in the Carmel River flood plain must be voluntary. A vote by everyone, before a tax (assessment) is imposed, is proper and appropriate. We all owe thanks to the Monterey Peninsula Taxpayers Association for sallying forth to once again stop our Board of Supervisors from imposing a tax, without a vote of the people affected.

Nothing in this writing is meant to absolve the County of its responsibility to properly maintain the Carmel River waterway.

Yet as we focus on residents in the flood plain, we need to pay attention to the taxpayer costs in supporting our five districts. Why should the general taxpayer assume the fire protection costs for home owners who build in unsuitable locations or are negligent in providing for their own safety from the ravages of fire?

In some districts, the fire agency can assess service fees, where thorough professional investigations show that the property owner was negligent in providing for his own safety - uncleared grasses, trees, shrubs in close proximity to buildings, inadequate sprinklers, illegal storage of flammable materials, etc.

Local cities, except Carmel, Pacific Grove and Monterey, have adopted tough new fire prevention ordinances to save property and lives. Our local County agencies are trying to establish prevention standards. Most of this effort is voluntary. Yet, when the fires break out it is our firefighters who put their lives on the line to save lives and property for people who have ignored the common sense rules of fire prevention.

As neighbors we can do more to prevent the potential for fire and the potential for flood damage. We can do more by taking greater personal responsibility for our properties before the next catastrophe.

YOUR WORLD AND MINE

by Araby Colton

HEY! YOU'VE GOT MY DOG!

More than once, at the door to my supermarket, I've passed, tied by his leash to the handrail, someone's pet dog. Other times the faithful doggie is just standing there, waiting, obediently, for his family. And how many times have I stopped to pet a friendly dog leaning out of the lowered window of a car in the parking lot?

So, what am I saying? That thousands of our dogs, these beloved family members, disappear every year, to wind up in experimental laboratories. Says Animal Welfare Institute, "More than 100,000 dogs and cats are used for experimentation each year in the United States."

I leave you to visualize, if you dare, the scene before merciful death delivers the dog or cat. Vivisection ... being operated on while alive. Anesthesia? ... forget it ... much too expensive to be wasted on animals.

And how do our dogs get to these laboratories? Well, the United States Department of Agriculture licenses, as "Class B dealers" about sixty individuals who collect dogs and cats from "random sources", and sell them to laboratories.

According to the Animal Welfare Act these dealers are supposed to keep complete records on the origin and destination of the animals, and provide appropriate housing and handling, nutrition, water, veterinary care, and shelter from the weather.

The USDA is responsible for enforcing the act. And how is it doing?

Not too well, apparently. The violations of the act are appalling and frequent.

Dogs are "laundered" by being moved back and forth across state lines, or transferred between different dealers, making it impossible for an owner to locate his dog.

One dealer was convicted of selling more than 1600 dogs and cats to research facilities without any identifying records.

Another dealer, who has had dogs confiscated by the USDA, has an outstanding warrant for his arrest on state cruelty to animals charges, and is still in business, supplying animals to other dealers, and to laboratories.

Another dealer, on whose property dogs and cats were found to be suffering severe dehydration and bloody injuries, with several dead animals lying around, is still in business, despite being charged with 32 separate violations of the AWA.

Obviously, it's up to us, to see to it that our dogs and cats are not ever placed in situations where they can be stolen, because once they disappear, that's it. It's a cinch they'll never get over it ... nor will you.

An additional little horror story is that cats are being stolen in Mexico, killed cruelly and shipped legally into the United States for dissection in classrooms and laboratories.

Note: For $4.20 (includes shipping and handling) you can get from Animal Welfare Institute, P. O. Box 3650, Washington, DC 20007, an excellent booklet, "Animal Experimentation and Humane Medicine" by a doctor, which exposes the dangers to human health from animal experimentation.

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WHAT'S NEXT?

Mel Vercoe

I am mailing the following letter to Gen. Wayne Downing, with copies to Pres. Clinton, Gen. Shalikashvili, and others, including a number of senators and congressmen. Gen. Downing is heading the investigation of the terrorist bombing in Dhahran that killed 19 U.S. airmen.

Dear Sirs:

If finding ways to prevent future U.S. deaths from terrorist attacks is the real intent of the investigation, then we must go a step higher, and realistically examine the idiotic and counter productive high level political policies that motivate violence, not just against our forces overseas, but against our people in the United States.

It is, and it should be, an increasing embarrassment to many U.S. citizens, that some of our people in high places are taking it for granted that the United States of America has been appointed, possibly by God, to be the leader of the World, which includes the World Policeman job, and the Chief World Welfare Hander-outer job.

Whatever the motivation, self-aggrandizement, perhaps failure to understand the job description, we are far much too far in debt to afford either the Welfare job, or the Word Cop job, and we certainly don't need terrorism problems, either at home or overseas. If Patriotism is supposed to be more than just a word in the dictionary, we have got to quit playing expensive games to delight either our leaders or the military-industrial establishment that both Washington and Eisenhower tried to warn us about. National bankruptcy and Third World Nation status won't be an easy transition for our people.

Sincerely Yours,
Melvin J. Vercoe
Marina, Ca.

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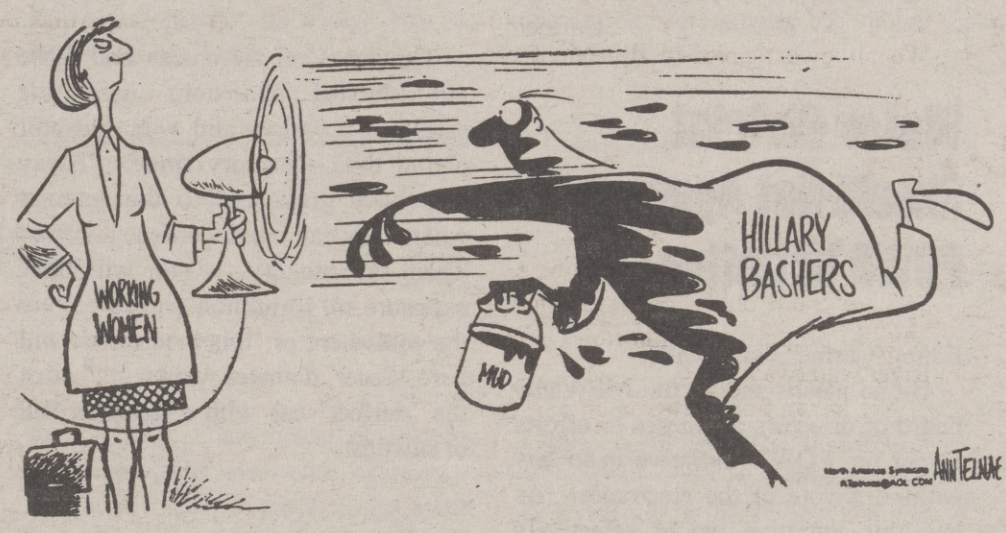

LETTERS
to the Editor

Potter - Do Your Research

Editor, Carmel Valley Sun:

As a community we have a right to know when our elected officials are not what they appear to be. I do agree with the letter to the Herald by Liz Leeper dated September 3, 1996 regarding Mayor Pendegrass's $60,000 bankruptcy.

The Mayor of Sand City is not alone. Dave Potter, candidate for supervisor and a city councilman, is currently in foreclosure for over $900,000 on one of the properties he developed in Jakes Peak. That's 15 times the amount Mayor Pendegrass owes. Mrs. Leeper is right to be concerned about the influence a man like this can have on the rest of the Peninsula through his involvement in the Water Management District and the Fort Ord Reuse Authority.

This concern should not be directed at Mayor Pendegrass, who is content in the City of Sand. The concern should be about the politician who is hoping to move up the ladder to county supervisor, Dave Potter. I urge everyone, regardless of your political beliefs, to do a little homework before you make your decision. What are you afraid to find out?

Kim Klecak
Carmel

In Support of Davi

Editor, Carmel Valley Sun:

This is a letter of support for the candidacy of Jeff Davi. I have attended forums at which Jeff Davi and his opponent have had a chance to outline their qualifications for county supervisor as well as putting forth their vision if they were to be elected. Jeff Davi, I believe, will be by far the best person to represent the 5th District on the Board of Supervisors.

As a fourth generation resident he is dedicated to preserving the unique beauty of the Peninsula. He believes we need to rethink the 70,000 proposed build out as planned in the Fort Ord reuse plan.

I believe Jeff Davi will bring a fresh approach as our 5th District representative on the Board of Supervisors.

Peter C. Salmonsen
Carmel

Davi and Measure E

Editor, Carmel Valley Sun:

If it is wrong to characterize Jeff Davi as the "developer's candidate," why has Davi stated that if he "had to vote tomorrow", he would vote against Measure E? Measure E is a protection against urban sprawl and overdevelopment. It simply requires the Board of Supervisors to enforce our current legal general plan and if they do not, new developments that would impact our water and quality of life in the county would go to the voters. As the ad says, "Believe your eyes, not the developers. Stop urban sprawl."

Martie Thummel
Salinas

Questions Ranchers Days Queen Choice

Editor, Carmel Valley Sun:

Yes, this is another letter agreeing with Marsha Tugel questioning the choice of Queen, Letter to the Editor, August 29.

Yes, I also attended the Carmel Valley Rancher Days Queen contest. I cheered all 5 girls competing for their efforts.

Yes, I knew Heidi was the winner by her excellent performance. Her horsemanship, appearance. the poem she said from her heart and the grace she displayed throughout the day. I

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didn't have to hear it from the audience, from so many people during and after her performance nor the stunned disbelief when she wasn't given the Queen award.

Yes, some may say I'm prejudiced for I am Heidi's grandmother.

Yes, I know how hard Heidi worked and baby sat to earn money for riding lessons. They weren't given to her.

Yes, I know that she gave up a vacation with her family to stay with us (her grandparents) so she could practice.

Yes, her riding was perfect. She said her poem by heart (not stumbled over from a written speech).

Yes, we too have heard that one judge had decided before any contest who she was giving all her points to, so that no one else could win.

Yes, I hope this contest is being investigated and that the truth will come out. That the President and officers of the Ranchers' Days will take a closer look at the judging. Or, why have a contest?

Olga Darch
Carmel Valley

Parents: Mind Your Children's Firearms

Editor, Carmel Valley Sun:

Last Wednesday was an unhappy day for me. Not only did I see yet another deer and a cow slaughtered by automobiles on Carmel Valley Road, I found much to my dismay, someone had put a bullet through the head of one of my favorite local birds. There lived for the last ten years along the lower Carmel River basin, a marvelous Great Blue Heron. He was everywhere. I'd see him on the golf course at Quail. He'd fly over my head along the Hacienda back roads and hunt rodents in my back yard. He was almost tame. Easy prey for someone with a .22 or pellet gun. I suspect it was a juvenile with a new toy. I hope it wasn't an adult who killed this bird. It has upset me and disappointed me. Parents, if your child has a rifle or pellet gun, kindly inform him that it is illegal to shoot migratory birds.

Ambrose Pollock
Carmel

Water District Should Not Approve POWR Initiative

Editor, Carmel Valley Sun:

By no means should the MPWMD board of directors acquiesce to efforts to put the POWR initiative in to law without a vote of the electorate. As law this initiative would effectively emasculate the district. Should the initiative petition have enough proper signers, as seems likely, the District should make every effort to assure that every voter in the district knows what is happening and votes.

Remember that the dam was defeated by 24% of the registered voters and that the victory margin of the opposition was only 3% of the population of the district. That must not happen again.

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COMPUTER TALK

Val Healey

Internet: new frontier in the snake oil business.

We take a short break here from our regular computer course to address a problem that seems to be very little discussed - Internet advertising - and we will return to the course after three parts on this subject. I hope, when the course is complete after perhaps a half-dozen or so additional parts, we will have much to say about the Internet.

The snake oil merchants and those old-fashioned obnoxious used car salesmen are alive and well and still plying their unsavory trade. Today they have gravitated to the Internet where they can blind, confuse and rob. Their favorite cry: "You will have exposure to 40 million clients ... " is the equivalent of "this medication will cure cancer, diabetes, warts, ... " or of the "perfect" car with a gearbox full of sawdust.

What is the real story? The Internet has such a vast potential to revolutionize our lives that even the most competent futurologists are hard pressed to read their crystal balls. This, however, is the future and not the present and unfortunately this future may be delayed by the misleading and unethical practices of some of the Internet's present promoters.

If 40 millions is a gross exaggeration, what is a closer figure? The 40 million figure was arrived at with a crude estimate of the numbers of computers connected to the Internet. A more realistic estimate was recently obtained by an actual survey of the U.S. population and this figure was 6-7 millions and rapidly climbing. This is the number of persons in the U.S. who have Internet accounts, meaning that they are setup to switch on their computer at will, dial in to their Internet Service Provider (ISP), and get connected to the Internet. On the other hand, adding up the numbers of clients claimed by the major ISPs gives the impression that there are around ten millions in the U.S. These are the potential clients for anyone with web pages, i.e. a "catalog", on the Internet. The next question is what is the probability of these 6-10 millions reaching your web pages and the answer is "infinitesimally small."

Not long ago I talked with a lady from the Village whose advertising agents had told her that they were now "on" the Internet and seemed to imply that their services were now more valuable and would cost more. She had no idea what their being "on" the Internet meant. This is not a surprising state of affairs since the Internet has crept up on us very suddenly, with a foreign language of its own, and lends itself very well as a potential mugging weapon. I hope these few articles will help to lift the fog a little.

When you use a computer to dial up and access the Internet for short periods to send or collect e-mail, or visit some other sites and then disconnect from the ISP and the Internet, you are accessing the Internet as a "client". A computer that is permanently connected to the Internet and serves "web pages" or other information to clients is called a "server". Being "on" the Internet usually means some presence or other on a server and in most cases that means having web pages, though that information by itself can mean next to nothing or a lot.

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REAL ESTATE REPORT

Carol Jensen Root

The following real estate sales were reported for the period of August 18, 1996 to August 24, 1996:

CARMEL VALLEY

Winifred Lattne Thomas sold to Robert and Christine Loranger 2 Marquard Ln. on August 21, 1996 for $775,000.

Gale Brown sold to Howard and Mary Berry Pitzer 7008 Valley Greens Cir. on August 21, 1996 for $550,000.

George Daniel sold to Madelon Zimmer 10 Del Mesa Carmel on August 22, 1996 for $184,000.

John and Beverly Chipman sold to George and Edith Daniel, 259 Del Mesa Carmel on August 22, 1996 for $301,000.

PEBBLE BEACH

Gregory and Randi Roberts sold to David and Paula Rosen 3892 Ronda Rd. on August 21, 1996 for $1,250,000.

Donald and Laverne Dauer sold to Bert and Lotte Mendelsohn 13 Shepherds Knoll on August 22, 1996 for $350,000.

Janet Schmied sold to Rosemary Pitlyk a property on Riata Rd. on August 23, 1996 for $625,000.

CARMEL

Katherine Issa sold to Arthur Haseltime 24731 Crestview Cir. on August 19, 1996 for $140,000.

Jo Ann Coleman sold to South Valley Ventures a property on N. Carmelo Ave. on August 20, 1996 for $895,000.

Caterine Hancock sold to Melvin and Joann Nashban a property on Carmelo St. on August 21, 1996 for $351,000.

Richard Soell sold to William and Christine Krissoff a property on Torres St. on August 22, 1996 for $630,000.

VALLEY FINANCE

Douglas Pease

A decent wristwatch is the traditional 21st birthday present in our family. It has been a decade since we last shopped for one, and four decades since I picked out mine. Talk about sticker shock...it's more like electrocution.

Our son's middle name is "I can get it for you wholesale," but so far he hasn't, and the event is next week. Still, I value his advice, which in this case is to look for something that will keep its value over the years and involves a mechanism instead of quartz. He thinks a Roladex is just the thing. He thinks he can find one for $700 or $800. The jeweler didn't laugh, I'll give him that. More like $3200 to $11,000 depending on how much gold, how old, and what condition.

Notice we have leaped beyond the basic function of a watch, which is to tell time. We are looking for watches in jewelers' shops, so we're talking about display, not punctuality. Actually, a buyer who pays $11,000 for a Roladex watch does so because everyone who ever shopped for a watch knows it costs that much. What we're dealing with here is "image".

The whole experience has been a lesson about the "value" part of our son's advice. One brand or another keeps its value over time because it continues to say the right things about the wearer, along the lines of "that's $11,000 and it doesn't even tick." Most of us don't care if the thing will tell perfect time for a hundred years, we just want to look right wearing it.

I think that's what "Blue Chips" are all about in the stock market. For many investors, there are some stocks they just wouldn't buy, those obviously are not among the "Blue Chips". Non-Blue Chip stocks may offer good value as reflections of well run and growing companies, but if nobody heard of 'em what's the point... who wants to have to explain why they bought them? Buyers bid up the price for Blue Chips because it is widely believed those stocks will keep their value. Or, those stocks which, it is widely believed, will keep their value are Blue Chips. Either way. Buying stocks is a lot like buying a watch, I can tell you.

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Through 10-20 (10 a.m.-5 p.m.) Del Monte Forest Legacy: A Century of Stewardship. Pacific Grove Museum of Natural History, Forest & Central. Free. 648-3116.

SEPTEMBER

Through 9-29 Pacific Repertory Theatre presents Henry IV - Part 1. Golden Bough Playhouse, Monte Verde, 8th & 9th, Carmel BTS. $15 adults, $10 students, seniors. 622-0100.

Through 9-30 "Images of Carmel Valley", mixed media artwork by David S. Mullally. Carmel Valley Manor, 8545 Carmel Valley Rd. 626-4843.

Through 9-30 (10 a.m.-6 p.m.) Linda Ogden, artist of the month. Venture Art Gallery, 260 Alverado Mall, Monterey. 372-6279.

Through 10-6 Pacific Repertory Theatre presents "Pericles, Prince of Tyre". Forest Theatre. Santa Rita & Mt. View, Carmel. $12 adults, $8 students, seniors. 622-0100.

9-26 (10 a.m.-3 p.m.) Goodwill Auxiliary treasure sale. 571 Lighthouse, Monterey. 423-8611.

9-27 (5-7 p.m.) Dave Potter, candidate for 5th District Board of Supervisors, kick-off celebration. Campaign office, 240 Crossroads Blvd., near Jazz Store. 626-3283.

9-28 (9 a.m.) Garland Park Nature Walk. Live Oak and Maple Canyon Trails. Meet at Visitor's Center. 3-3.5 hrs. Moderate. 659-6062.

9-28 (9 a.m.-3 p.m.), 9-29 (11:30 a.m.-2 p.m.) Book Fair. All Saints Church, 9th & Lincoln, Carmel. 624-3883.

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9-28 (9:30 a.m.-4 p.m.) Fire Hall Harvest Craft Fair. Spreckels Fire Hall, 38 Spreckels Blvd. Crafts, produce, refreshments, door prizes. 758-2765.

9-28 (10 a.m.-6 p.m.), 9-29 (10 a.m.-5 p.m.) Carmel Valley Gem & Mineral Society's Gem Show. Monterey Fairgrounds. $2.50, children free. 384-4738.

9-28 (11 a.m.- 4 p.m.) Tularcitos School, Ford Road / El Caminito, Carmel Valley, Fall Festival. Games, food, crafts & much more. Fun for the whole family. Free admission.

9-28 (1-4 p.m.) Redwings Horse Sanctuary Donkey Day. Ryan Ranch Rd. off Hwy. 1. 624-8464.

9-28, 9-29 '96 Big Sur Oktoberfest. Crafts, Bavarian feast, dancing. Big Sur River Inn. 625-1557.

9-28 (6 p.m.) Monterey County Symphony Cabaret Pops Concert. Sherwood Hall, Salinas. Clark Suttle, Conductor. Live auction, dancing, dinner, wine. $95. Balcony $25 reserved. $15 unreserved. 624-8511.

9-29 (noon-5 p.m.) 32nd Carmel Mission Basilica Fiesta. Mission Courtyard, Rio Rd. and Lausen Drive. Entertainment, crafts, games, food.

OCTOBER

The Arthritis-Self-Help Program classes. Call the Arthritis Foundation 1-800-464-6240.

Through 10-31 (10 a.m.-6 p.m.) Arlene Vonnegut Nolan featured artist, water media. Venture Art Gallery, 260 Alvarado Mall. 372-6279.

10-1 (7 p.m.) Tri-County Youth Sports, Inc. meeting on Youth Co-Ed Basketball program in San Juan Bautista for 1996-97. Call 726-3555.

10-2 Carmel Valley Little League Board election. 625-1092.

10-2 (8 a.m.-1 p.m.) Growing Your Business Seminar. EDC of Monterey County. $15. Embassy Suites, Seaside. Register by 9-18 754-6807.

10-2 (7-9 p.m.) "Basic Relationship Survival Skills" by Dr. Tom Bishop. Free. Crossroads Mall, Community room, 2nd floor. 624-8110.

10-3 (3-6:30 p.m.) Carmel Valley BloodMobile blood drive. Sponsored by American Red Cross & CHOMP. CV Community Chapel, Village Dr. & Paso Hondo. 659-2374.

10-3 (7 p.m.) Forum on Rancho San Carlos (Santa Lucia Preserve), Measure M. Jeff Froke, Bruce Dormody. MBUAPCD conference room, 24580 Silver Cloud Court, Monterey. Sponsored by Assn. of Environmental Professionals. $2. 637-5313.

10-4, 5, 6 California International Airshow with Robosaurus and Pyrotechnic Extravaganza. $8/9 adult, $4/5 6-12, free under 5. 754-1983.

10-4 (5:30-7 p.m.) Come and talk with Bruce McPherson, candidate for State Senate. The Gazebo, Carmel Valley Community Park, Ford Road. Wine and hors d'oeuvres. Free. Hosted by Bill and Kathleen Tarp.

10-4 (8 p.m.) Lecture by Tina Packer on female characters in Shakespeare's plays. Santa Catalina Performing Arts Center. Free. Must be 12 or over. 655-9300.

10-5 (1-4 p.m.) Redwings Horse Sanctuary Draft Horse Day. Hwy. 1 off Riley Ranch Rd. 624-8464.

10-5 Garland Park Nature Walk. Garzas & Redwood Cyns. Meet at Visitor's Center. 5-6 hours. Moderate to strenuous. 659-6062.

10-5 (8 p.m.) Babatunde Olatunji, Nigerian drum master. Sunset Center. Performance Carmel Series. $12.50 & $16. 624-3996.

10-6 (10 a.m.- 3:30 p.m.) Ninth Annual Jewish Food Festival and

Crafts Faire. Food, music, stories. Return to Anatevka. Congregation Beth Israel, CV. Vendors welcome, call 372-7761. $3 adults, $1 teens/65+/-12. Park at CMS and take shuttle.

10-6 (3-6 p.m.) "A Wild Celebration" to benefit the Wildlife Rescue and Rehab. Ctr. of SPCA. Holman Ranch, Carmel Valley. $30. Food, wine, art sale, silent auction. 646-WILD.

10-7 through 10-11 "Condors to Kayaks" environmental education camp session for children in grades 3-5. The Ventana Wilderness Sanctuary. 624-1296.

10-9 (7-9 p.m.) Focus on film lecture by Jean-Michel Cousteau on filming under the sea. Fundraiser for Monterey County Film Commission. $15. 646-0910.

10-10 (7 p.m.) Carmel USD Board of Education site presentation meeting. CV High. 624-1546.

10-11 (8:30 a.m.-5 p.m.) Symposium on pitch canker fungus threat to Monterey Pine Forests. Sunset Center, Carmel. 624-1127.

10-11 (5 p.m.) Last date to appeal FORA Reuse Plan/EIR. 100 12th St., Bldg. 2880, Marina, 93933. 883-3672.

10-12 & 10-13. (11 a.m.-dusk). First annual Carmel Valley Jazz Festival. Hidden Valley Music Seminars. Benefits Carmel USD music and arts Programs. Music, crafts, food. 10-11 Jazz Party-Jam Session for sponsors ($50-$1000). Ticket sales start 8-15. 755-2588.

10-13 (10 a.m.-4 p.m.) 27th Annual Victorian Home Tour. Sponsored by Pacific Grove Chamber of Commerce. $10. 373-3304.

10-13 (11 a.m.-4 p.m.) G.I.F.T. fund raiser for Christmas gifts and food for Monterey County less fortunate. $10. Under 10 free. Monterey County Sheriff's Posse Grounds. Tri-Tip BBQ. Meet S. J. Sharkie & Friends.

10-14 through 10-18 "Exploration Odyssey" environmental education camp for children in grades 3-5. Redwood forests, ocean bluffs, waterfalls, and the Big Sur River. The Ventana Wilderness Sanctuary. 624-1296.

10-16 (1:30 p.m.) Monterey Bay Unified Air Pollution Control District Board Hearing on revision to appeals Rule 211. 24580 Silver Cloud Ct., Monterey. 647-9411.

10-19, 10-20, 10-26 (p.m.-adults only) & 10-27. Redwings Horse Sanctuary Harvest Fair and Haunted Barn. Hwy. 1 off Riley Ranch Rd. 624-8464.

10-24 (7 p.m.) Carmel USD Board of Education business meeting. CMS Library. 624-1546.

10-30 "Trekkers at the Aquarium" fund raiser for Door to Hope, Women's Recovery Center. Monterey Bay Aquarium. $25. Dessert buffet, silent auction, music. 758-0181.

NOVEMBER

11-2, 11-3 (9:30 a.m-5 p.m.) Alpaca Fest. Music, food, Alpaca Parade. Benefits SPCA. Quail Meadows at Quail Lodge. $10. Under 12 free. 679-2499.

11-8, 9, 10 Redwings Horse Sanctuary. Jeri Ryan. Hwy. 1 off Riley Rd. 624-8464.

11-14 (7 p.m.) Carmel USD Board of Education site presentation meeting. Tularcitos School. 624-1546.

11-15 Redwings Horse Sanctuary Christmas shop till Christmas. Hwy. 1 off Riley Rd., 624-8464.

11-15, 16, 17 Redwings Horse Sanctuary. Jeri Ryan. Hwy. 1 off Riley Rd. 624-8464.

11-16 (8 p.m.) Reduced Shakespeare Company, "The Bible: The Complete Word of God (abridged):... Sunset Center. Performance Carmel Series. $12.50 & $16. 624-3996.

11-30 Redwings Horse Sanctuary last open house for '96. Hwy. 1 off Riley Rd. 624-8464.

Santa Lucia Community Preserve at Rancho San Carlos
1996 Hiking Calendar
September through November

Guided hikes with staff or volunteer Naturalists are scheduled for Friday afternoons from 3:30 to 5:30 and Saturday mornings from 9:00 to 11:30. Groups meet at the intersection of Rancho San Carlos Road and Valley Greens Drive, one block south of the Carmel River. Space is limited, so please call Suzanne at (408)626-3068 to sign up.

Dates	Themes
Saturday, September 28	Historical Tour & Walk
Friday, October 4	Photography Hike
Friday, October 18	Fall Colors Hike
Saturday, October 26	Bird Watch Hike
Friday, November 1	Animal Track Exploration

* Additional hikes for small groups can be arranged by special request with advance notice.

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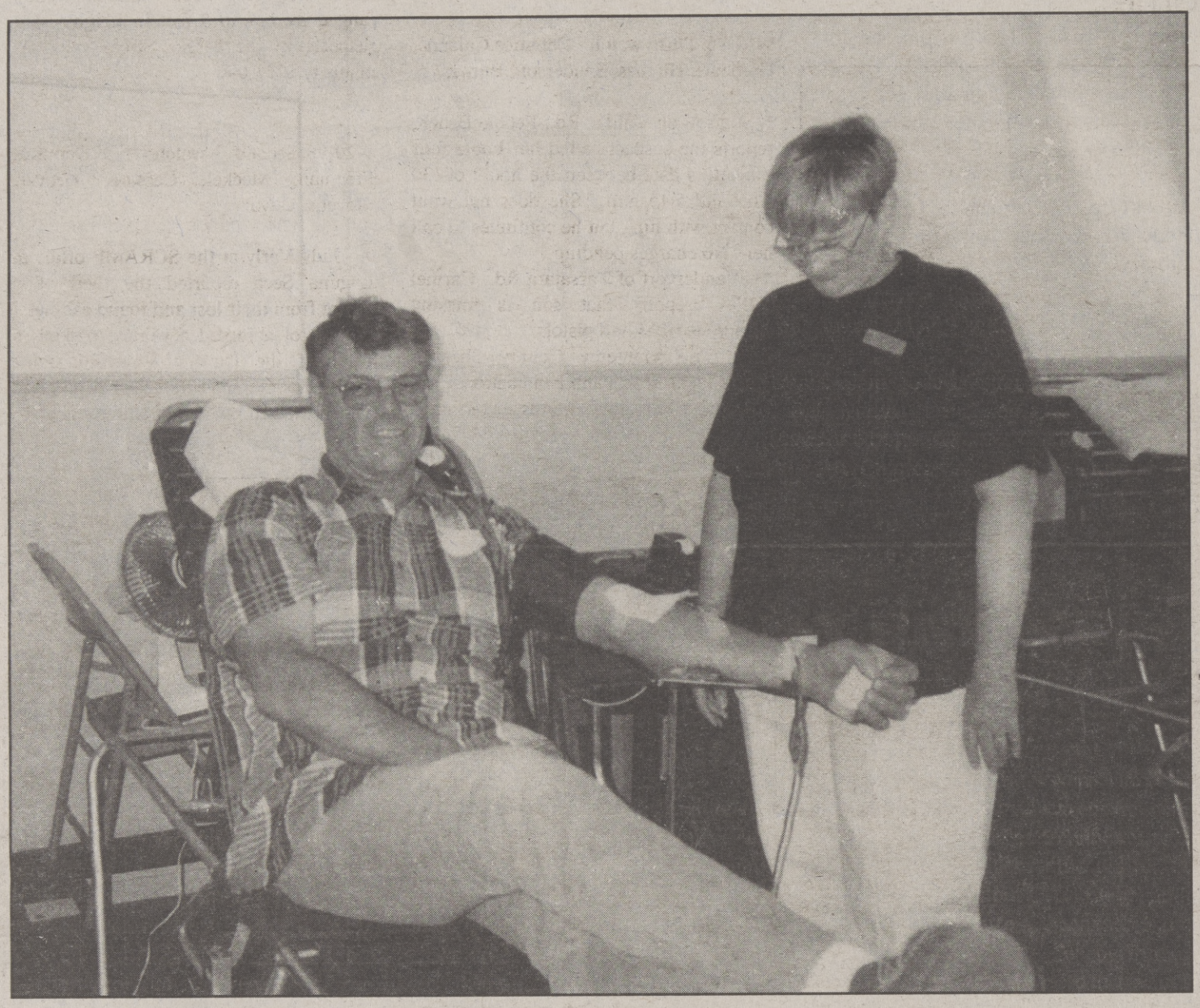

John Long with nurse, Ann Wells. John has received his 6 gallon certificate.

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gash. He was transported to CHOMP. Suspect took off in an unk. direction driving a aqua blue newer model Firebird or Camaro. Partial Calif. plate of 2LJ 234 of 2LJ 345.

9-16-96 First watch. Deputies Krebs, Duenas, Pellerin

* At Princess Camp, Nason Rd., Carmel Valley, Martinez got into an argument with his girlfriend. He punched her causing redness around the eye and a scratch on her forehead. He was arrested.

* Tucker reports that possibly people on Southbank might be living out of a motorhome parked in the driveway. Plus they are working on vehicles in the driveway also. Refer: to Planning Dept.

* Harber, on Carmel Valley Road, reports receiving a threatening phone call from her ex-husband last night. She is a witness in an upcoming civil matter against him.

9-18-96

* Deputies from the Sheriff's Dept. Marijuana Eradication Team (COMMET) and state CAMP agents eradicated a marijuana garden in a remote mountainous area approximately 1/2 mile south of the Little Sur River, and 1/2 mile east of Hwy. One. 30 Indica-type sinsemilla marijuana plants, about 3 to 4 feet high were seized. They were being watered by a drip irrigation system on a timer, with the water coming from a natural stream. The plants were nearly mature and the grower or growers had begun to selectively harvest the buds. Estimated value of the plants is about $75,000. No arrests were made at this time.

9-18-96 First watch. Deputies Scariot, Rodriguez, Hernandez, Pellerin.

* Smith went into the Safeway Store at MidValley Center, Carmel Valley, and placed $246.93 worth of groceries in the cart. He left without paying. He ran when confronted. His girlfriend, Staples, Barbara, who was in the car, lied when confronted. She was seated in the driver's seat of the getaway car.

9-21-96 Second watch. Deputies Meckel, Cassara, Grover, Stevens

* Lee reported someone splattered an unknown brown yuck on her business front door at MidValley cleaners.

* Maria Duran of Panama reports that someone stole her purse and contents when she put it down near the putting green in front of the Lodge, 17 Mile Dr. at Cypress.

* Joel Campise, Giuseppi's, Carmel Rancho Blvd., reported Rich Holine, Baskin Robbins, asked Campise not to enter Baskin Robbins as Campise was annoying the employees.

* Whelan reported Vance brandished a knife during a confrontation at Long Ridge Rd., Carmel.

* Hekkers of Valdez Rd., Pebble Beach, had been receiving "lude" (sic) and/or annoying phone calls over the past

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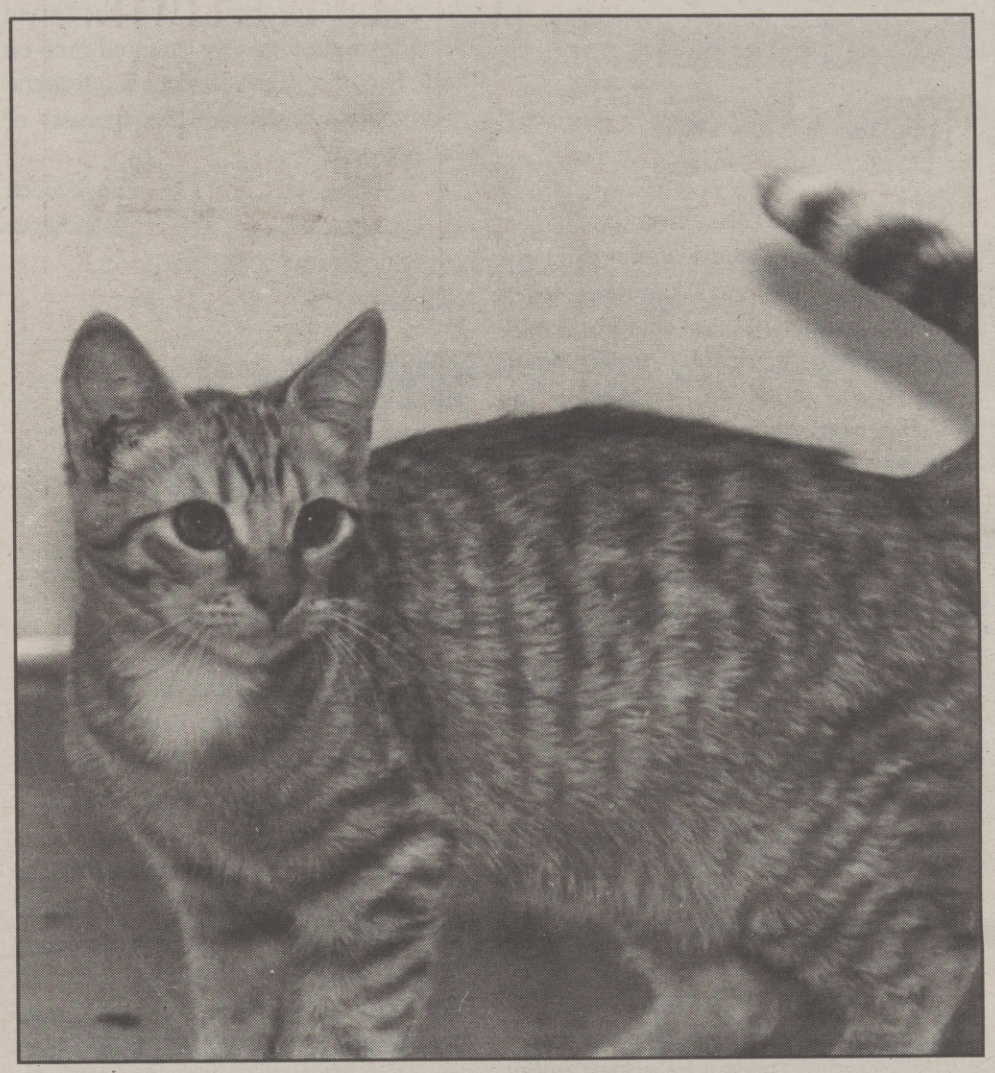

This adorable ball of fluff is a five month old male orange tabby "teenage" kitten. A feline that isn't a baby, but is still as much fun. This youngster enjoys batting toys and getting the attention of visitors by extending a paw from his kennel. Come and see this cat at the SPCA. For more information call 373-2631 extension 233 or 234.

weeks. He suspected an ex-friend of his son's. This juvenile was contacted and counselled even though he denied the deeds.

* Dice on Hatton Rd., Carmel, reported she saw someone walking with a flashlight near her trash cans.

* McCoy reported finding a camera at a dirt turnout in Pebble Beach, north of Birdrock. She requested that it be returned to her if the item goes unclaimed. The camera was taken and placed into evidence.

9-22-96 Second watch. Deputies Stevens, Cassara, Pellerin, Anderson

* Jinny Seidel had her wallet stolen out of her shopping cart while shopping at Safeway, Crossroads, on 9-21-96 at 2:35 p.m.

* An anonymous person found a wallet belonging to Rosalie Shoemake of Pebble Beach. It was turned into PB Security. It was subsequently returned to the owner.

* Michaelson reported that he was choked and pushed after a parking dispute at the parking lot at River Inn, Big Sur. The suspect was named as Austin of Big Sur.

* Nancy Woods of Pelican Rd., Pebble Beach, reports the theft of her necklace which had been on the top of her dresser. Loss $1500.

9-18-96 Third watch. Deputies Calzada, Gardepie, Delasantos, Sanderson, Burke.

* At the Cal-Am pumping station on Dorris Dr., Carmel Valley, Cal-Am reported that a worker had set a tree on fire accidentally with a welder. The tree started the Cal-Am pumping station ablaze. MidValley fire arrived and put the fire out. No further action taken.

9-19-96 First watch. Deputies Scariot, Banuelos, Rodriguez, Gurley, Hernandez

* Pat Beebe, asst. principal at Carmel H.S. reports a student in possession of beer. Student cited.

9-19-96 Third watch. Deputies Calzada, Gardepie, Hughes, Sanderson, Burke

* Lefson on Valdez Rd., Pebble Beach, reports the suspect called her home four times this date between the hours of :30 a.m. and 5:15 a.m. She does not want contact with him, but he continues to call her. No charges pending.

* Vandervort of Tassajara Rd., Carmel Valley, reports that son is missing numerous rifles and pistols.

* The Monterey County Sheriff's Department Marijuana Eradication Unit, and the Campaign Against Marijuana Planting Team eradicated a marijuana garden along Chews Ridge, Carmel Valley. Seized were 45 growing marijuana plants. They were being grown in plastic bags above the ground and were being hand watered. They ranged from 7 to 8 feet in height. No suspects in the case. Street value at maturity $225,000.

9-20-96 Second watch. Deputies Freeman, Meckel, Cassara, Grover, Stevens, Duval

* Judy Varly at the SCRAMP office at Laguna Seca reported the theft of a wallet from their lost and found cabinet.

* Patrol observed a vehicle parked in front of the Durney Vineyards wine tasting room. The vehicle had expired registration from 1/94. Vehicle stored.

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turnover," Leasure said. Leasure added that, as a group, the short-term rental properties are better maintained with frequent visits from gardeners and housekeepers and added that sort-term rental properties are vacant about 50% of the time.

Leasure said the agencies will not rent short-term properties in the face of a ban but that individual property owners continue to do so "underground" which translates into a loss of Transitory Occupancy Taxes (TOT) for the cities. Monterey, Carmel and Pacific Grove have passed ordinances banning short-term rentals but Leasure said "You can pick up any San Jose Mercury or San Francisco Chronicle and see advertisements all over for short-term vacation rentals." Leasure estimated that Pacific Grove would loose an estimated $125,000 annually in TOT funds when it passed its short term rental ban in 1993. Individual property owners are still renting their property and Leasure said short-term rentals "should be legitimized and taxed."

Karas said the ordinance will "put some teeth into enforcement". Karas has been talking with the District Attorney to determine whether a violation of the short-term rental ban should be prosecuted as a criminal or civil offense.

The ordinance will be considered by the Planning Commission on November 13 and will then go the Monterey County Board of Supervisors on November 26.

Davi *from page 2*

This review goes beyond that of the current Monterey County annual review, because it will break each function of government down to a "per capita" costs. The current annual audits provided by the Monterey County Auditor does not include such figures and, further, it does not provide comparable information relating to cities within the County and other Counties throughout the state.

Immediate results of this audit:

* County officials, together with administration, will be able to set aside funding on an annual basis for future needs of the county with any reduction of county costs. This funding would be for such things as (examples not in any specific order):

1. transportation improvements - roads, mass transit
2. water programs and projects
3. public safety - sheriff, district attorney, jail
4. preservation of open space
5. economic development
6. cultural arts

Additionally, I will recommend that Monterey County conduct a complete audit of the County Counsel's office to ensure a reduction in County litigation, settlements and court costs. This audit will include the county of Monterey, its agencies and the County Hospital. The goal of the audit will be to analyze past, current and future actions of the county counsel's office and determine a county wide way to deal with disputes. Some immediate goals of this audit will be to:

1. Provide the Board of Supervisors with criteria to determine whether or not the County is justified in going to court. The principal emphasis being placed on consideration of the ultimate costs to the taxpayer as compared to the perceived benefit to fight it out in court.

2. Set up a standard of practice county wide to resolve any dispute through mediation prior to going to court. For individual employee disputes, such as Natividad's recent employee difficulties, require the complaintant and the county of Monterey to sit down at a table and discuss the alleged violation and attempt to resolve the matter without resorting to the hiring of outside law firms. In such instances, the "Affirmative Action office" of the county shall facilitate these negotiations. This division of the County shall be known as; "Equal Access to Employment and Contracting Opportunities Division". Its function in this capacity will be to reduce the number of lawsuits filed against the County and ultimately reduce the cost to each taxpayer.

Part two next week.

Letters *from page 8*

number of votes in district elections the District Board should do the following: 1. Make all District elections "vote by mail" elections. 2. Prior to the next district election, send registration forms to all adults within the district or, at least to all Cal-Am customers. Explain the importance of knowing the will of the majority before the board acts.

Ed Lee
Carmel

Carmel Valley Gospel Festival Thanks the Sun

Editor, Carmel Valley Sun:

Thank you Carmel Valley Sun for publicizing the 5th Annual Carmel Valley Gospel Festival this year. We had a great local turnout and appreciate your help in alerting the Valley of the event. Also, we were so proud to be seen on the front cover and the back of the Sun the week after the festival.

We also want to thank all local businesses, committee members, volunteers and performers who made this a very successful community event.

Heartfelt thanks to the Carmel Valley Community Center who went out of their way to take care of our needs before, during and after the Festival. The beautiful banner provided by Steve Bernet was an unexpected gift.

What a great community we live in.

Barbara Sherman
Carmel Valley

Davi is the Developers Candidate

Editor, Carmel Valley Sun:

Peas-in-a-pod.

What do these three have in common? Davi, Rancho San Carlos, Pebble Beach Company? They are all for rapid build-out of our area. Davi the Realtor, the other two out of country entrepreneurs.

What else? They would all have us think otherwise. Davi now cloaks himself in the environment; Rancho San Carlos calls a gated-spread for the wealthy a "wild life preserve"; the Pebble Beach Company blatantly tells us the removal of 25,000 trees for yet another golf course is an "asset" for our community.

This is all deception of the first order. But now we have Measure "E" on the ballot which addresses this threat directly by forcing our Supervisors to honor the General Plan we adopted over 13 years ago. And where do all three of these stand on Measure "E"? Right again. They are all against it.

In November vote for Measure "E" to stop urban sprawl. Vote for David Potter to get a people oriented face on our Board. And vote against Rancho San Carlos to prevent this travesty of a "preserve".

Clark Beck
Monterey

Davi Has a Water Plan

Editor, Carmel Valley Sun:

Save our water.

Jeff Davi, candidate for 5th district supervisor, supports the following plan to save water that now flows out to the ocean during the rainy season.

During the rainy season when the Carmel River aquifer is full 60,000 acre feet of water flows out the Carmel River to the ocean. During the rainy season Cal-Am can pump water from the full Carmel River Aquifer to the Seaside Aquifer for underground storage. This water can be used during the dry season.

The benefits are obvious. The plan is environmentally sensitive. It will help prevent salt water intrusion and it will save precious water that is now running out to sea.

Jeff Davi supports this plan. For more water ideas - vote for Jeff Davi November 5th for 5th district supervisor.

Alfred Cottingham
Carmel

Gene

Editor, Carmel Valley Sun:

Clarification and correction:

Gene Kloss passed away one month short of her 93rd birthday, not her 95th which I wrote earlier.

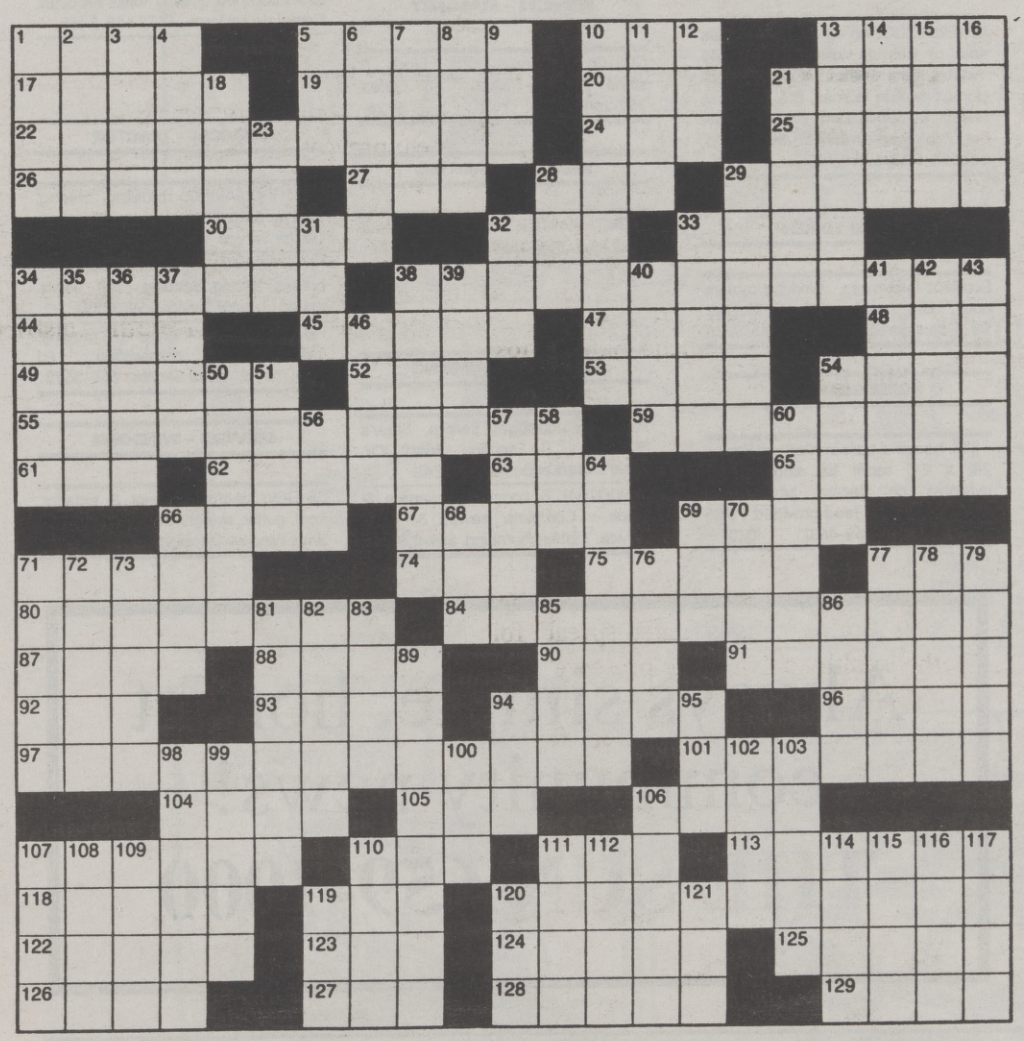
Betty Hoag McGlynn
Carmel-by-the-Sea

SUN SHOT

We want you to fill this space - send us your photographs!

Send us pictures of local events, birthdays, anniversaries or whatever you would like to see in THE SUN. Please send to: The Carmel Valley Sun c/o Elizabeth Cowley, Box 222135, Carmel CA 93922. Photos are not returnable so don't send us your only copy! Please include a caption including who, what, where and other relevant information. We look forward to seeing you in the SUN SHOT.

Super Crossword



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LEGAL Notices

LEGAL NOTICE
S5421S
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
F961551

The following person is doing business as TLC DESIGN, 6-B Scarlett Rd., Carmel Valley, Ca. 93924: Loren Wilder, 6-B Scarlett Rd., Carmel Valley, Ca. 93924.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on 8-18-96.

Signed: Loren C. Wilder

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on 8-19-96

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LEGAL NOTICE
S5428S
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
F961539

The following person is doing business as PROFESSIONAL BILLING SERVICE; SELF-HELP LEGAL SERVICES, 316 Mid Valley Center #175, Carmel, Ca. 93923: Marianne E. Piette, 9815 Palisade Drive, Carmel, Ca. 93923.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on 8-19-91.

Signed: Marianne E. Piette/Owner

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on 8-16-96.

Publication dates: 9/12, 19, 26, 10/3/96.

LEGAL NOTICE
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NAME STATEMENT
F961531

The following persons are doing business as CAPTURE THE MOMENT, 1059 Laurel Lane, Pebble Beach, Ca. 93953: John Robert Pira Jr., 1059 Laurel Lane, Pebble Beach, Ca. 93953, Christina Lynn Pira, 1059 Laurel Lane, Pebble Beach, Ca. 93953.

This business is conducted by husband and wife.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on n/a.

Signed: John R. Pira Jr.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on 8-15-96.

Publication dates: 9/12, 19, 26, 10/3/96.

LEGAL NOTICE
S5459S
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
F961564

The following persons are doing business as SANTA LUCIA OUTFITTERS, 41352 Palo Colorado Rd. at Camp Pico Blanco, Carmel, Ca. 93923: Alfred R. Agostini, 41352 Palo Colorado Rd., Carmel, Ca. 93923, Rhena D. Agostini, 41352 Palo Colorado Rd., Carmel, Ca. 93923.

This business is conducted by a general partnership.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on 8-1-96.

Signed: Rhena D. Agostini

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on 8-21-96.

Publication dates: 9/26, 10/3, 10, 17, 1996.

LEGAL NOTICE
S5551S
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
F961671

The following person is doing business as PRODUCE NET, 269 Main St. Suite 400, Salinas, Ca. 93901: TranSystems - California, 50 Pine Street, Watsonville, Ca. 95077.

This business is conducted by a corporation.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on 6-1-96.

Signed: TranSystems, Inc., Pat Bunkley, Secty./Treas.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on 9-9-96.

Publication dates: 9/26, 10/3, 10, 17, 1996.

LEGAL NOTICE
S5450S
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
F961762

The following person is doing business as THE CARMEL VALLEY SUN; CARMEL VALLEY NEWS, 8th & Lincoln, SW, Carmel, Ca. 93923, P. O. Box 222135, Carmel, Ca. 93922: Norman Spaulding, 8th & Lincoln SW, Carmel, Ca. 93923, P. O. Box 222135, Carmel, Ca. 93922.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on 2-22-94.

Signed: Norman Spaulding

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on 9-19-96.

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LEGAL NOTICE
S5451S
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
F961743

The following person is doing business as DENTIST ON DUTY, 323 N. Sanborn Road, Salinas, Ca. 93905: Doctors Bill Paying Service, Inc., 323 N. Sanborn Road, Salinas, Ca. 93905.

This business is conducted by a corporation.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on 9-18-96.

Signed: Doctors Bill Paying Service, Inc. Elyse A. Battey, Secretary,

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on 9-18-96.

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LEGAL NOTICE
S5555S
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
F961635

The following person is doing business as PACIFIC DESIGN & ENGINEERING, 4 Phelps Way, Carmel Valley, Ca. 93924: Cleveland Duane Englehardt, 4 Phelps Way, Carmel Valley, Ca. 93924.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on 8-15-96.

Signed: C. D. Englehardt

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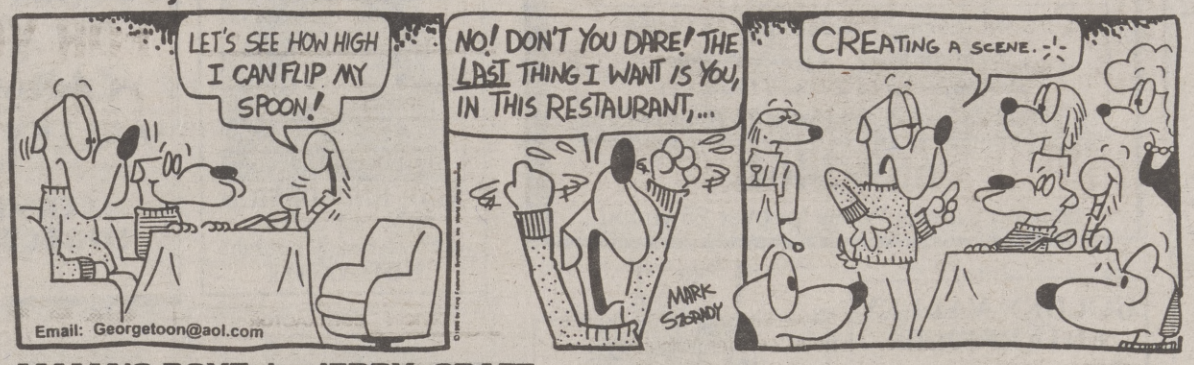
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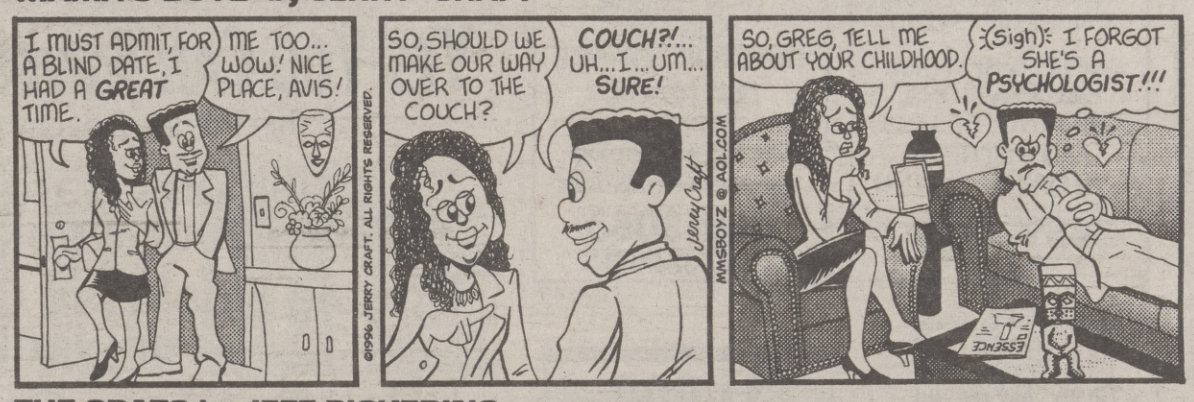
I MUST ADMIT, FOR A BLIND DATE, I HAD A GREAT TIME.
ME TOO... WOW! NICE PLACE, AVIS!
SO, SHOULD WE MAKE OUR WAY OVER TO THE COUCH?
COUCH?!... UH...I...UM... SURE!
SO, GREG, TELL ME ABOUT YOUR CHILDHOOD.
(Sigh): I FORGOT SHE'S A PSYCHOLOGIST!!!
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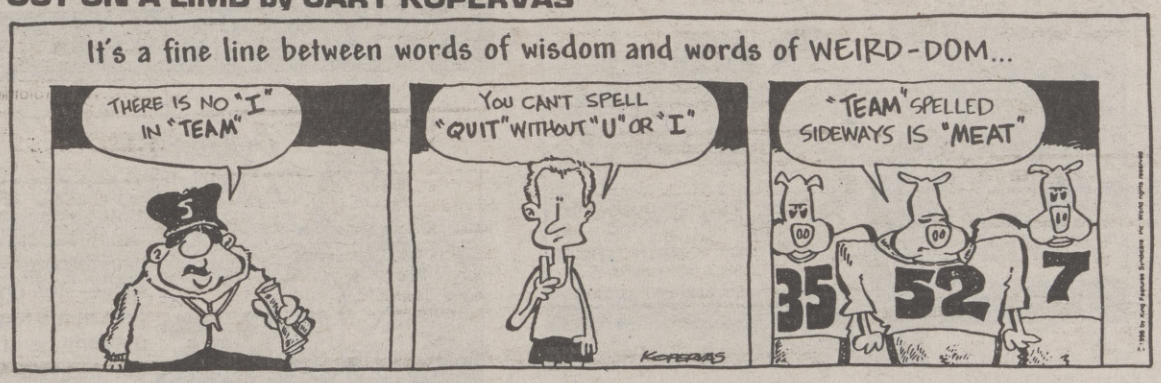
THE SPATS by JEFF PICKERING

HEY HONEY, DID YOU HEAR THE ONE ABOUT THE THREE-LEGGED CHICKEN, THE TRAVELING SALESMAN AND THE PIANO-PLAYING OCTOPUS?
WAIT, BEFORE YOU TELL ME YOU NEED TO GO GET SOME BUTTER AND SALT.
BUTTER AND SALT???
YA, I LIKE BUTTER AND SALT WITH MY "CORN".
PICKERING

OUT ON A LIMB by GARY KOPERVAS


It's a fine line between words of wisdom and words of WEIRD-DOM...
THERE IS NO "I" IN "TEAM"
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"TEAM" SPELLED SIDEWAYS IS "MEAT"
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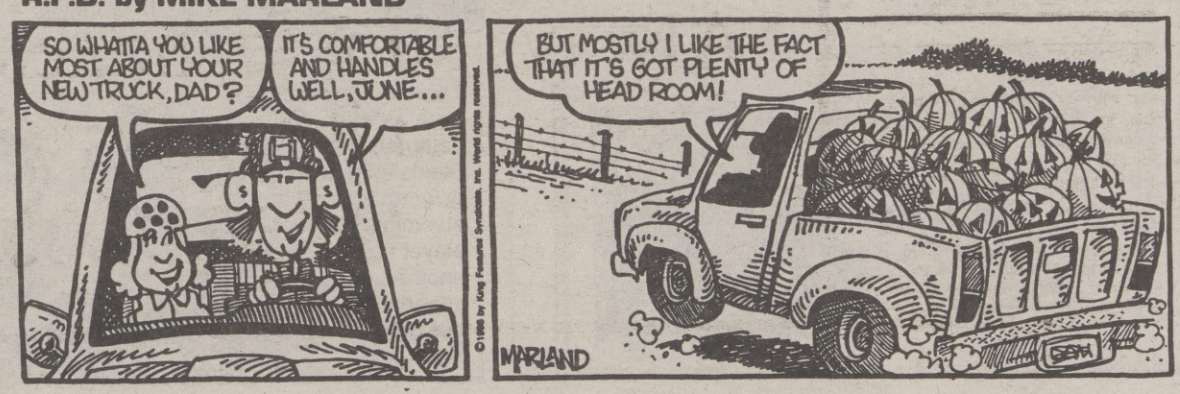
R.F.D. by MIKE MARLAND


SO WHATTA YOU LIKE MOST ABOUT YOUR NEW TRUCK, DAD?
IT'S COMFORTABLE AND HANDLES WELL, JUNE...
BUT MOSTLY I LIKE THE FACT THAT IT'S GOT PLENTY OF HEAD ROOM!
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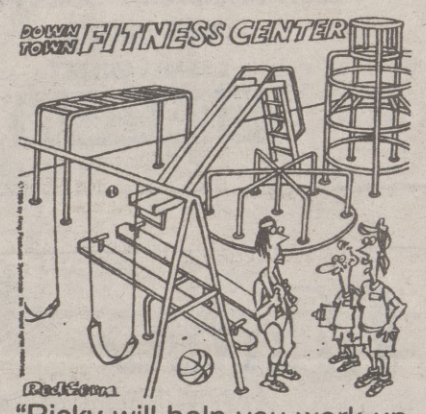
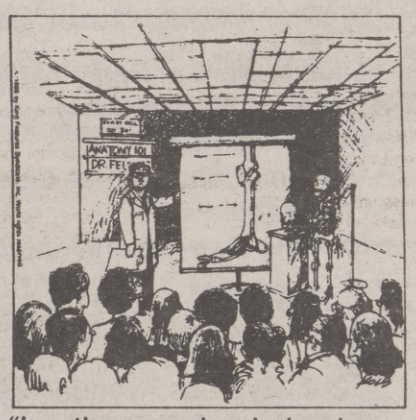
"Harold, maybe you should start smoking again."



"Ricky will help you work up a routine and instruct you on the machines."



"In other words, da leg bone is connected to da foot bone!"

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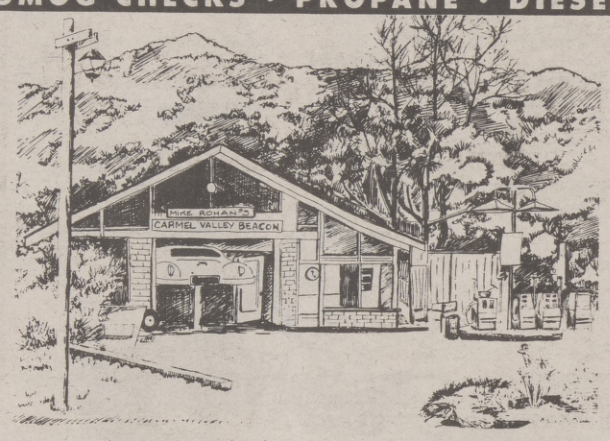

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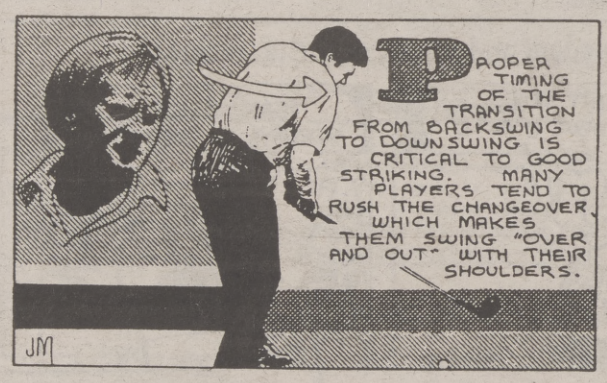
PROPER TIMING OF THE TRANSITION FROM BACKSWING TO DOWNSWING IS CRITICAL TO GOOD STRIKING. MANY PLAYERS TEND TO RUSH THE CHANGEOVER WHICH MAKES THEM SWING "OVER AND OUT" WITH THEIR SHOULDERS.
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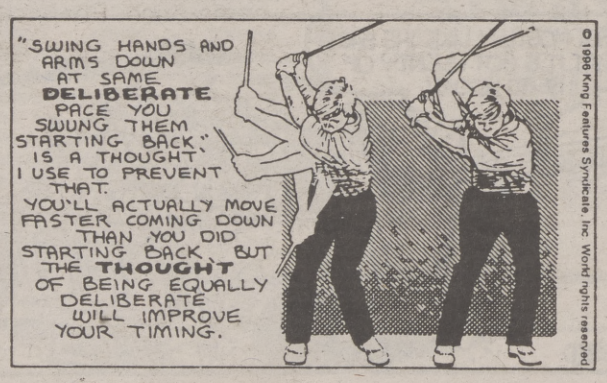
"SWING HANDS AND ARMS DOWN AT SAME DELIBERATE PACE YOU SWUNG THEM STARTING BACK." IS A THOUGHT I USE TO PREVENT THAT. YOU'LL ACTUALLY MOVE FASTER COMING DOWN THAN YOU DID STARTING BACK. BUT THE THOUGHT OF BEING EQUALLY DELIBERATE WILL IMPROVE YOUR TIMING.
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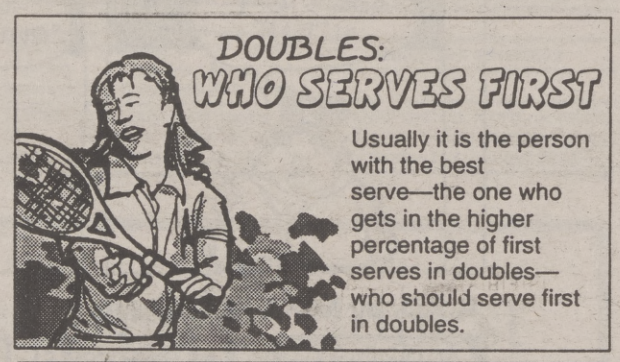
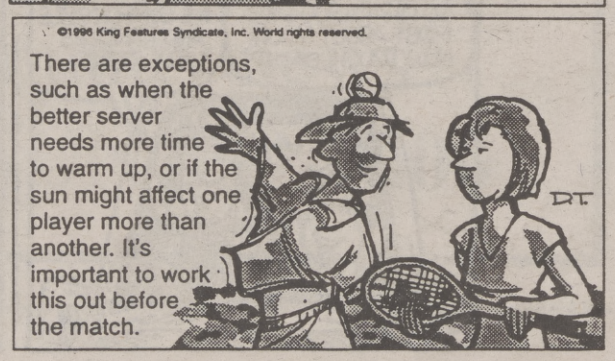

DOUBLES:
WHO SERVES FIRST
Usually it is the person with the best serve—the one who gets in the higher percentage of first serves in doubles—who should serve first in doubles.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There are exceptions, such as when the better server needs more time to warm up, or if the sun might affect one player more than another. It's important to work this out before the match.
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